

PATENT

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APPLICANTS:

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TITLE:

WELDING AND TACK WELDING METHOD INVOLVING THE USE

OF A NON-FUSING ELECTRODE

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the first office action dated June 28, 2006, with the due date for response being extended for one month or until October 28, 2006 below please find the enclosed response

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

<u>Remarks/Arguments</u> begin on page 7 of this paper.